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\$1.50 A YEAR

FREIGHTS TO DISTANCES

Every Island City as Far From Tide as in 1914

Chicago, Sept. 2.—"Chicago is twice as far from New York as it was in 1914." More than six years ago. More than twice as far from every other place in United States as it was in 1914." The startling assertion of Secretary Thompson of the Interstate Commerce Commission released today. The assertion is based on the fact that the number of miles between New York and Chicago, or any other cities that might be named, is the same now as it was—but the only things to measure are time, for in the case of freight, it has been well said by an expert that "it is not mileage, but time, which counts in transportation, which counts in commercial measure."

Locally, Chicago is still 1000 miles from New York, but, because of the increase in freight rates during the last six years, the city on Lake Michigan is now commercially, 2,100 miles from New York, and every country in the world has been pushed away from it twice as far as before. The increase was not made in the country never would it be if it had been. First, in 1914; then, in 1917; then, in 1919; then, in 1920, by Mr. McAdoo's orders, the increase was advanced five per cent for the Mountain-Pacific group, and for the Eastern group.

LANDS FOR SALE

WITH AN INTEREST IN A DEVELOPING CO. (WE SELL OIL LANDS—NOT STOCK) (SEE OUR UNIQUE PLAN)

Stream Oil & Development Co., Inc.,

actively drilling near Orange, Texas, which promises to be a "top."

Mr. P. Hayes, our driller, is experienced and absolutely reliable. We also are directed by Prof. W. H. Drummet, who is one of the best of geologists.

Mr. Hayes is a graduate geologist from Eureka University, besides he is the latest radio system of locating oil. He has successfully located eleven prominent oil fields. He has driven stakes for our operations.

Using our own brand new Lucey Special drilling outfit, a great factor for success for us. Several wells have recently been put in sight of our location at Orange thereby placing this in the "PROVEN" class.

We will begin active operations at Pierce Junction Oil Field (near Houston) by July 25th. We have closed a contract for all the land at Pierce Junction near Houston during July, this year. Prof. Drummet will supervise operations and the drilling will be done by Walter Nelson, who has a enviable record for efficiency. We believe Pierce Junction will be a great oil field. This lease alone more than justifies our price of \$100 per acre.

A careful investigation will convince you that these two localities are ideal for oil development—close to pipe lines, railroads, deep water, and six oil refineries. This guarantees a ready market for the oil at the highest prices—an important item to consider when buying land in an oil company.

As we find oil in paying quantities our books close to \$100 per acre, but our purchasers can double their present holdings—a fact which will approve.

Our first drill is now down about 800 feet at Orange and the second is now being drilled at Pierce Junction near Houston during July, this year. We are doing our utmost to make this company a success and we guarantee you a square deal for your money. If you are a true red blooded American, this is all you want—if you are not, we do not want you—write us quick before the boat leaves you.

Write us in your order at \$100 per tract at once, or write for prospectus.

Respectfully,

Stream Oil & Dev. Co. Inc.

Blanche, Bldg., NEW ORLEANS, LA.

A. BISHOP, President, 2106 West Beach, Phone 493, BILOXI, MISS.

Representatives:

J. W. KURTZ, Pascagoula, Miss.

Mr. G. W. TRUE, Pascagoula, Miss.

Mr. D. H. CARMICHAEL, Biloxi, Miss.

Mr. O. H. HUGHES, Gulfport, Miss.

Mrs. O. H. HUGHES, Gulfport, Miss.

Lutheran Church.

(S. Pascagoula Str., near Central School)

Next Sunday, Sept. 5th., services will be held in forenoon only, 10 a. m. Sunday School at 9 a. m.

Friends and visitors are welcome. Rev. Wm. WEDIG, Pastor.

and averaging according to an estimate made by Bureau of Railway Economics, 34.58 per cent for the whole country.

"Stated in another way, this means that for every dollar paid to the railroads for freight in 1914 we must now pay two dollars or more. Now it is just as certain as fate itself that every increase in cost of transportation increases both the cost of living and of doing business and decreases the territory in which our products, whether of farm or factory, can be sold. But the most vital question today is not whether we shall pay one price or another for the transportation of our goods, but whether we can get them carried at all.

"In Europe they use waterways as well as railways. France, Belgium, Holland and Germany (as it was before the war), whose combined area is only one-seventh that of the United States, have 23,200 miles of waterways, of which they make a continually increasing use. The tonnage of goods transported on the waterways of Germany in 1905 was five times as much as was carried in 1875—and it is more than a coincidence that, in every one of the twenty years ending in 1913 the foreign commerce of Germany, which is 53,000 square miles smaller than the states of Texas, exceeded that of the United States by hundreds of millions of dollars.

"Why should not the 28,000 miles of inland waterways in the United States be made available for use."

Mr. S. Kaimie and family of New York are visiting Mr. W. A. Daggett and family and Mr. E. Kihyet.

REAL ESTATE IN JACKSON COUNTY

Recorded in Chancery Clerk's Office for Week Ending August 27th.

Great American Oil Co. to Miss Winifred H. King 2 drill tracts, containing 1000 square ft. each and known as Nos. 26 & 27 in block No. 5 subdivision of 20 acres known as the e1-2 of sw1-4 of nw1-4 of 33-7-5 \$1.00 and other valuable consideration.

Great American Oil Co. to John F. Petherick 2 drill tracts, containing 1000 square ft. each and known as Nos. 2 and 17 in block No. 16 subdivision of 20 acres, known as the n1-2 of se1-4 of ne1-4 of 36-7-5.

Hattie Freeman 1 drill tract containing 1000 square ft. and known as No. 28 in block No. 1 drill subdivision of 20 acres, known as the n1-2 of se1-4 of ne1-4 of 36-7-5.

Great American Oil Co., to Mrs. Thomas Platt 4 drill tracts, containing 1000 square ft. each, and known as Nos. 11-12-26-27 in block No. 23 subdivision of 20 acres, known as the s1-2 of se1-4 of ne1-4 of 36-7-5.

Great American Oil Co. to Mrs. Katherine Kennedy 1 drill tract, containing 1000 square ft. and known as the n1-2 of se1-4 of ne1-4 of 36-7-5.

Great American Oil Co., to Mrs. Annie Kennedy 1 drill tract, containing 1000 square ft. and known as Nos. 24 in block 15 subdivision of 20 acres, known as the n1-2 of se1-4 of ne1-2 of 35-7-5.

Great American Oil Co. to Miss Mabel A. Stokley 2 drill tracts, containing 1000 square ft. and known as Nos. 11 and 12 in block No. 15 subdivision of acres, known as the n1-2 of se1-4 of ne1-4 of 36-7-5.

Great American Oil Co. to Miss Violet Stokley 1 drill tract, containing 1000 square ft. and known as No. 27 in block No. 15 subdivision of 20 acres, known as the n1-2 of se1-4 of ne1-4 of 36-7-5.

C. A. Perkins and wife to A. A. Hults 24 acres in ne1-4 of se1-4 of 31-6-4 \$2,000.00.

Fred L. Lihdingar & T. G. Hibbert to Emma T. Martin Lot 3 and w1-2 of lot 2, being the nw1-4 of nw1-4 and w1-2 of ne1-4 of nw1-4, of 32-6-4 \$1.00 and valuable consideration.

James E. Long to United Realty Trust 20 acres in nw1-4 of ne1-4 except certain portion reserved for the Cooperative Development Company's subdivision No. 1 to the town of north Moss Point in 17-7-5 for a full and valuable consideration.

Gordon Lundy, by atty. to C. W. Glass nw1-4 of 10-6-5 \$900.00.

Emma T. Martin to Industrial Improvement Company of Fulton County, Georgia, about 21 acres in sw1-4 of ne1-4 of 23-7-5 \$1.00 and other valuable consideration.

Charles P. Coleman to Travis Coleman n1-2 of Section 1-6-6 \$1.00.

Florence R. Brown to Flora Downing about 80-100 of an acre in 36-7-6 and being the property formerly owned by James Martin \$1.00 and other valuable consideration.

J. O. S. Sanders to T. J. Simmons et al undivided one fourth interest in e1-2 of nw1-4 of nw1-4 of 23-4-5 \$75.

Fred C. Marquis to J. W. Kane e1-2 of sw1-4 of sw1-4 of 34-6-5 lots 84 & 85 Helena addition in nw1-4 of nw1-4 of 28-6-5 \$500.00.

Rena Hurd and Willie Hurd to J. W. Kane w1-2 of ne1-4 and ne1-4 of 36-6-6 \$1.00 and other valuable consideration.

Great American Oil Co. to L. F. Peebles, 2 drill tracts, containing 1000 square feet each and known as Nos. 6 and 7 in block No. 11 subdivision of 20 acres, known as the e1-2 of sw1-4 of nw1-4 of 33-7-5.

Frank A. Young and wife to John D. Rhoades 100 acres off of the south side of sw1-4 of 24-4-5 \$1.00 and other valuable consideration.

David O. Engle and Nevada Engle sw1-4 of ne1-4 of 34-6-5 and lot 163 of Helena addition in nw1-4 of nw1-4 of 28-6-5 \$200.00.

J. W. Kane to W. J. Lindinger undivided one half interest in and to sw1-4 of nw of 28-6-5 \$200.00.

J. W. Kane and Mile O'Neill to A. E. Harrison quit claim deed to n1-2 of ne1-4 and sw1-4 of ne1-4 of 4-7-5 \$5.00.

Mrs. F. H. Lewis to C. E. Posey lot No. 6 of subdivision of n1-2 of nw1-4

PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO OPEN ON SEPT. 13.

School Houses Being Repaired and List of Teachers Announced.

Preparations are being made for the opening of the city schools on Monday, Sept. 13th, for the session of 1920-21. Considerable repair work has been done on the school buildings, especially the Beach School house and the one at Lake Avenue. The Lake Avenue building has been put in repair, and treated to a new coat of paint, and this week workmen are engaged in doing the same thing for the Beach school, something that was sadly needed. Minor repairs are also being made at the Central School, and by the opening day all of the school buildings will be in a comfortable and sanitary condition, ready to receive our young folks.

On account of the closing down of the shipyards and the consequent moving away of a number of families, it is not thought the attendance at the different schools will be as large as it was last year, but there are enough children left in the city to give all the teachers selected for the coming session as much as they want to do.

The school board announces the following list of teachers for the session:

Professor Mack Morgan, superintendent; Central High School, Professor S. B. Churchill, principal; Mrs. Alice Hull and Miss Mary Henry, high school; Miss Marie Rourke, seventh grade; Miss Louise Baker, sixth grade; Mrs. Alex Jackson, fifth grade; Miss Dorothy Hague, fourth grade; Miss Hattie Bell Merriwether, primary; Miss Edith Lloyd, music.

Lake Avenue School: Miss Belle Bailey, principal; Miss Estelle Maples, assistant.

Beach School: Mrs. J. C. Alfred, principal; Miss Gladys Johnson and Miss Zoe Belle Cox, assistants.

International School: Mrs. Lou G. Gordon, principal; Miss Janie McCoy, assistant.

Colored School: M. S. Love, principal; Henrietta Norvill and Lemmie Howell assistants.

of 28-7-5 known as Kreole addition \$400.00.

L. E. Evans to L. E. Cox lots 1 to 12 inclusive and 19 to 20 inclusive block 3 and lots 1 to 13 inclusive block 4 Evans Subdivision of ne1-4 of nw1-4 of ne1-4 of 36-7-5 \$185.00.

Florence R. Brown to E. T. Nelson lots 1, 2 and 3 in block E per plat known as the Delmas addition to the city of Pascagoula (formerly Scranton) \$650.00.

Alfred A. Farragut to L. D. Farragut parcel of land in ne1-4 of ne1-4 of 28-7-5 \$1.00.

Theodore Ames et al to William Ames parcel of land in w1-2 se1-4 of 10-7-8 \$1.00.

Jacob Pikka to B. J. Hatkinson and Andrew J. Stevenson option for 6 months on parcel of land in ne1-4 of nw1-4 of 33-7-5 \$1450.00.

Joseph Lemaitre to Ernest Lemaitre 2 certain parcels of land in 13-7-5 \$300.00.

Elizabeth G. and J. A. Livaudais to John Scott lot B share 1 and lot B share 2 W. G. Elder Estate in 18-7-5 \$300.00.

W. R. Clark to Frank Forsman lots 27 and 34 of W. R. Clark subdivision of a portion portion of n1-2 of nw1-4 of 28-7-5 \$1062.00.

Great American Oil Co. to Misses Nell and Maome Perry 2 drill tracts containing 1000 square ft. each and known as Nos. 1 and 2 in block 5 of subdivision A. of 20 acres, in ne1-4 of ne1-4 of nw of 36-7-5 \$1.00.

Emma T. Martin to M. M. Arnold sw1-4 of se1-4 of 6-7-4 except a strip 15 ft wide off of the East side \$1.00.

Vaneaton Seymour to Franklin B. Stansbury nw1-4 of sw1-4 of 31-5-8 \$500.00.

A. E. Curry to Union Naval Stores Co., sw1-4 of 33-4-8 s1-2 of sw1-4 of 17-5-8 \$1.00.

J. W. Kane to F. M. Schwarz undivided one half interest in w1-2 of ne1-4 and ne1-4 of 36-6-6 \$1.00.

R. L. Dawson to J. W. Kane quit claim deed to ne1-4 of 36-6-6 \$1.00.

W. M. Jacobs to L. F. Cauley option for 30 days on se1-4 of ne1-4 of 26-6-6 \$3750.00.

R. C. Eley to Joseph E. Thomson lot 1 according to a survey of a sub-

MILITARY FUNERAL TO PASCAGOULA HEROES

Elmer Grant and Clarence Forbes, Who Made the Supreme Sacrifice, Buried Here.

The funeral of Elmer Grant, was held Sunday afternoon at 4:30 from the Knights of Columbus hall, proceeding to Our Lady of Victories Catholic church, and from thence to the Catholic cemetery at the beach for interment. Rev. Father B. O. Reilly officiated at the services, and the Knights of Columbus acted as honorary and active pallbearers. Corporal Elmer Grant died in France in 1918, while in the service of the United States in the world war, shortly after his arrival in that country. He, with a brother, and number of young men from Pascagoula and Jackson county, volunteered for military service at the entrance of the United States into the European war, and after several months military training at Camp Shelby was transferred to Camp Gordon, and later sent to France for active service. He was the second son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Grant, of this city, aged 19 years, and was a most promising young man, of splendid moral character and unusual ability. He was a devout member of the Catholic church, and belonged to one of the oldest and most prominent families on the Gulf coast, his ancestors being pioneers in the settlement of this region. Many beautiful flowers attested the sympathy of a host of friends. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Grant, two brothers, J. O. Grant, Jr., who also served in the United States military service during the world war, Hubert, and four sisters, all of whom reside in this city, besides a number of relatives here, in Louisiana, Alabama, and other parts of the country.

The body of Clarence A. Forbes who died at Liverpool, England, October 22, 1918, of pneumonia, arrived here Tuesday. He was a native of South Pascagoula, a son of the late Capt. H. Forbes, and was in his 28th year at the time of his death. The funeral took place from St. John's Episcopal Church, under the auspices of the 114th Ammunition Train, with Lieutenants Ollie Rolls and Harold Gautier at the head of the respective squads of cavalry and infantry. The Rev. John Chipman conducted the services. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery.

Private Forbes was a member of the 132nd United States Infantry. He was a step-son of George Parsley, of this city.

Messrs. Frank Canty and William Baltar, well known Gulf Coast citizens, announced today the establishment of a wholesale coffee business at Greenville, Miss. The firm bears the name of the Delta Coffee Company. The sale and distribution of green, parched and ground coffees throughout that section are the features of the new enterprise. Both young men are highly respected for their business acumen. Mr. Canty is a native of Pascagoula, while Mr. Baltar is an adopted son of Biloxi, formerly of New Orleans.

division of lot No. 13 of Thomas Rhodes tract of land in Joseph Raby Grant in 23-7-6 also another lot formerly owned by Mrs. E. T. Mays \$2,500.

Great American Oil Co. to Mrs. Adele Wilson 5 drill tracts, containing 1,000 square ft. each and known as Nos. 9-10-11-25-26 in block No. 17 subdivision of 20 acres, known as the n1-2 of se1-4 of ne1-4 of 36-7-5 \$1.00.

Great American Oil Co. to Mrs. John J. Strickland 2 drill tracts, containing 1000 square ft. each and known as Nos. 9 and 10 in block 13 subdivision A. of 20 acres in ne1-4 of ne1-4 of 36-7-5 \$1.00.

J. S. McKenzie and wife to G. F. Mansfield option for 20 days on w1-2 of nw1-4 of 32-6-5 \$5,475.

DEEDS OF TRUST

C. P. Young and wife to H. Gessman deed of trust for \$200.00 secured by a portion of lots 6 and 7 of the Routh tract in the city of Pascagoula.

C. E. Frederic to Michael Katigan deed of trust for \$700.00 secured by lot 25 of the W. E. Frederic estate subdivision in plat book 1 page 67.

Presbyterian Church

Sabbath School 9:30 a. m. Mr. Sam Seaton, Supt.

Morning Worship 11 a. m., "The Celestial Pilot."

Evening Worship 7:30 p. m., theme, "On the Main Line."

You are most cordially invited to worship with us.

The church with the cordial welcome Rev. W. P. CHALMERS, Minister.

PASCAGOULA BOAT WINS YACHT RACE.

De St. Ferol Proves Her Class in Eastern Shore Contest.

The De St. Ferol, of the Pascagoula Yacht Club, won the yacht race at the course of the Eastern Shore Yacht Club Sunday on Magnolia beach. This boat is owned by W. E. Frederic and was sailed by Guy Krebs. The race was twice around a five-mile course and was one of the regular races for the championship cup, the last of the series of which will be held on Labor Day. The Pascagoula boats were not in the race for the cup, however, but for the championship of the coast and for the prizes, which were \$35 and \$10.

At the opening of the race, which began at 3 o'clock, the two Pascagoula boats, and Vanitie and Coquette crossed the line in a bunch, the Vamp rounding the first stake ahead of all boats. The De St. Ferol gained the lead before the second stake was passed and held it throughout the race. The boats finished as follows:

First, De St. Ferol, Pascagoula, sailed by Guy Krebs; second, Vamp, Mobile, sailed by Wilson Ewell; third, Coquette, Mobile, sailed by Rob Spottswood; fourth, Miss Pascagoula, Pascagoula, sailed by L. E. Cox; fifth, Mobile, sailed by Charleton Dukes; sixth, Ace, Mobile, sailed by Joe Herman; seventh, Mary Alpa, Coden, sailed by E. B. Overton; eighth, Chaperon, Mobile, sailed by Gene Malone.

THIS BANK

Through its ample resources, modern facilities and close personal knowledges of the business needs of this community, aids every customer in building a solid financial foundation—without which business success is impossible.

4 Per Cent Interest Paid on Savings

PASCAGOULA NATIONAL BANK

Member of the Federal Reserve System

A Drug Store At Your Door

When drug store goods are needed it's not usually convenient to wait very long on deliveries. Then, too, it is not a good plan to stock large amounts of drugs—when it is possible for you to get fresh, pure goods from us just when they are needed.

Just Phone or Mail Your Order

and the goods will be delivered at your door without delay.

Inquiries regarding goods will be answered promptly.

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